

March 15, 1977

LB 77, 264, 100

SENATOR SCHMIT: I ask for a call of the House.

PRESIDENT: The question is shall the House go under call.
Record your vote. Record.

CLERK: 20 ayes, 0 nays.

PRESIDENT: We're under call.

CLERK: Senator Keyes voting aye on the original motion.
Senator Clark voting aye. Senator Barnett voting aye.
Senator Koch voting aye. Senator Brennan voting aye.
Senator Newell voting aye. Senator Schmit raises the call.

PRESIDENT: Report the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 5 nays.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. The question is shall the
call be raised. Record the vote. Record.

CLERK: 19 ayes, 0 nays to raise the call.

PRESIDENT: The call is raised. Would Senator DeCamp please
return to the Chamber. It's LB 257, 264.

SENATOR DECAMP: Mr. President, Senator Burrows wants to
wait until he gets some additional information, so I would
agree to wait a little longer. I ask unanimous consent to
let it sit for a while and I'll go talk to him again.

PRESIDENT: The question is shall this bill be held over.
Is there an objection? Seeing none, it's so ordered. LB 100.

CLERK: LB 100. Introduced by Senator Richard Lewis. Read
LB 100. There are committee amendments by Senator Kremer's
Public Works Committee. This bill has been considered before
and the Public Works Committee amendments were at that time
left pending.

PRESIDENT: Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Again, Mr. Chairman, I yield to Senator Lewis.
Our agreement like before was that this bill is going to
either be amended or bracketed until we can get some kind of
agreement relative to a full scale phase-two study of public
power Nebraska. I yield to Senator Lewis at this point.

SENATOR R. LEWIS: Mr. President, as most of the membership
is aware, we had a negotiating team from the rural Nebraska
electric districts, power districts, and the League of Muni-
cipalities. The discussion was mediated by a group from
the Public Works Committee of the Legislature chaired by
Senator Mills. They met and thought they had a settlement
negotiated and LB 100 was to be used as a vehicle to make
statutory the area of agreement. Now apparently negotiations
have broken down or partially broken down. I would like to
have LB 100 set for March 21, next Monday, if it would meet
the approval of this group. That would give them ample time
to either work out an arrangement or the bill would be ready
to move.

PRESIDENT: Is there an objection? There is. Do you want
to make your motion? Would you like to make a motion to hold
it over, Senator Lewis?

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